

CUSTOMS HOUSE



WHAT'S ON
MARCH - MAY 2001

EXHIBITIONS

• FREE ADMISSION TO ALL EXHIBITIONS

Berlin Summer Series The final in a series of talks on the social and political history of 20th Century Berlin by University of Sydney history lecturer Dr Dirk Moses. *City Exhibition Space, 4th floor. 6.30pm, 7 March. Cost \$15. Bookings 9242 8555.*

Vanessa Buemi and Timothy Horn Sydney Gay and Lesbian Mardi Gras Festival 2001 Two Australian artists challenge preconceptions of stereotypes and first impressions, and explore issues of transformation and attraction. *Object galleries, 3rd floor. Until 18 March.*

Dae-Hoon Kang and Joung-Mee Do Extraordinary new vessels and objects by two young Korean metal artists. *Object galleries, 3rd floor. Until 18 March.*

BERLIN: Planning Potsdamer Platz - An Urban Experiment in Central Berlin Models, drawings and plans internationally acclaimed architects of the monumental scheme to redevelop Berlin's once major transport junction, Potsdamer Platz. Includes the work of internationally acclaimed architects Renzo Piano, Richard Rogers, Christoph Kohlbecker and Arata Isozaki. *City Exhibition Space, 4th floor. Until 25 March.*



Bottle vase. Vase. Vase. 1989-98. By Col Levy.
Germany + Australia: International Craft Triennale

New Architecture in Berlin. Selected buildings since 1990. A slide show of more than 400 images depicting developments in Berlin over the last decade. *City Exhibition Space, 4th floor. Until 25 March.*

New Design 2001 The national graduate exhibition sponsored by Dyson Appliances Australia, incorporating the Dyson Award of \$10,000. *Object galleries, 3rd floor. 24 March to 6 May.*

Germany + Australia: International Craft Triennale A major survey show of contemporary Australian and German decorative arts which featured at the International Craft Triennale in Frankfurt, Germany. *Object galleries, 3rd floor. 12 May to 24 June.*

City Model Stand tall over Sydney! Audio guides and a visitor-directed camera enhance this detailed 1:500 scale model of the city. *City Exhibition Space, 4th floor. Permanent display.*

Customs House Trace layers of the past as a mechanical model, audio guide, smuggled objects and archival images illustrate the diverse history of Customs House. *City Exhibition Space, 4th floor. Permanent display.*

Harbour Room Explore Sydney Harbour with binoculars or enjoy the multimedia displays, including a panoramic film screened every half hour. *City Exhibition Space, 4th floor. Permanent display.*

AFTER HOURS

Quay Bar

HAVANA BAR @ CAFE SYDNEY

Enjoy delicious cocktails from 6pm. *Details 9251 8683*

CAFESYDNEYLATE

A supper menu and live jazz, funk and soul on Fridays, 10pm to 12.30am. *Details 9251 8683*

QUAY BAR

Live entertainment every Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights. *Details 9251 3305*



City Exhibition Space

Cover
Silver and wood teapot by Dae-Hoon Kang
Dae-Hoon Kang and Timothy Horn



Shane Warne by Peter Wilkinson.
Winner, Bald Archy Prize 1998

Bald Archy Prize 2001 A satirical send-up of the annual Archibald Prize, featuring witty and topical portraits and garden gnomes of politicians, celebrities and media personalities by some of Australia's leading cartoonists and artists. Presented by Customs House and City of Sydney. Prize sponsored by Sydney Harbour Foreshore Authority. *Ground floor. March 22 to April 21.*

Emerging Artists from Manchester A showcase of the best new craft and design from Manchester, curated by the UK's North West Arts Board in conjunction with the British Council and Object. *Object galleries, 3rd floor. 10 March to 29 April.*

Human Scale In Architecture - George Molnar's Sydney Architect and former Sydney Morning Herald political cartoonist George Molnar offers witty insights into Sydney's social, artistic and architectural world. *City Exhibition Space, 4th floor. 7 April to 15 July.*



Darling Point of Panoramic Views, 1987
Human Scale In Architecture - George Molnar's Sydney

ATTRACTIONS

EXHIBITIONS

Admission Free. Open 10am to 5pm daily.

Object galleries Australian Centre for Craft and Design Showcasing the best contemporary Australian and international craft and design. *Third floor. Ph 9247 9126*

City Exhibition Space Exhibitions, architectural models and new technology exploring Sydney's built environment and future plans. *Fourth floor. Ph 9242 8555*

FOOD

Caffe Bianchi Enjoy an early morning breakfast, a light lunch or a relaxing afternoon tea in this casual indoor and outdoor coffee house. *Customs Square. Open 7 days. Ph 9251 8818*

Quay Bar A contemporary adaptation of classic Sydney long bars, Quay Bar is an all-day bar, restaurant and cafe, plus oyster and cocktail bar. *Customs Square. Open 7 days. Ph 9251 3305*

The Avocado Group Modern Australian cuisine by award-winning caterers The Avocado Group. Section 51 open for lunch weekdays, private dining and function rooms by arrangement. *First floor. Ph 9241 6366.*

Cafe Sydney An international, all-day restaurant and bar with breathtaking views of Sydney Harbour, indoor and outdoor dining. *Fifth floor. Open 7 days. Ph 9251 8683*

STORES

Object store Contemporary gifts and homewares by Australia's leading designer-makers. *Ground floor. 10am-5pm daily. Ph 9247 7318*

djambu Shop Art, craft and Sydney's most comprehensive range of books from Indigenous Australian and Pacific Island communities. *Ground floor. 9.30am-5pm daily. Ph 9320 6431*

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